## Bicycle Project Highlights: On-Road

Dare County
Manns Harbor to Manteo: US 64/264, Virginia Dare
Memorial Bridge, Bicycle Accommodations
TIP Project R-2551

North Carolina's longest highway bridge (5.2 miles long) was opened in 2002. Some notable features of the new bridge, which spans the Roanoke Sound, are the wide offsets between the travel lanes and concrete parapets, the 54-inch rails and a unique "bicycle overlook" at the highest point along the structure. These bicycle safety accommodations make riding from the mainland to Roanoke Island a special experience for avid cyclists



This new 5.2 mile bridge was built to accommodate bicycles with wide shoulders and bicycle safe railings